

## TAILOR MADE CLOTHING. SPECIAL LINES FOR SPRING. GARDINER & BAXTER.

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Clara Denton, custodian of the reference library will return from her vacation in the north, July 4. Upon her return, Miss Steinmann will leave on her vacation tour. She has not yet fully decided where she will go this year, but will probably spend the summer in the east. Each of the assistants is allowed a vacation of four weeks every year.

The alarm turned in last evening at 6 o'clock from box 71 was caused by a blaze in some shavings on the third floor of Clay's clothing pin factory on the corner of Shawmut avenue and West Division street. No damage.

Mrs. Louis Dietz, Jr., daughter of Julius Camar, the veteran mail carrier, died Thursday morning at 1:30 at her residence on Spring avenue. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. from the residence.

Directors Meach, Whitney, Brewer and Cox of the Kent County Agricultural society met again yesterday afternoon, but no quorum was present. They adjourned until Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The water in the river has receded sufficiently to allow the resumption of stone quarrying on the beds below the dam, but last night's shower (?) raised it again.

A. C. Antim has returned from the Pacific coast. He and wife and son Fred still remain at Yuma on account of the condition of the latter who has been suffering with lung trouble.

W. O. Woodworth and C. Whiston will attend the business meeting of the State League of Trapshooters, to be held in Lansing next Wednesday.

Thomas Crane who has recently returned from an extended western trip says it rained forty-three out of the forty-nine days he was gone.

Perce Dean of the Grand Rapids Table company, at No. 23 North Front street, is the father of a girl, turning the scales at 11½ pounds.

J. C. Bonnell of Philadelphia, formerly of this city, arrived here yesterday. He is the guest of his son, John H. Bonnell.

Harry Savidge, a well known traveling man, who has been confined to his bed for the past ten days, is again able to be out.

W. L. Edried, a prominent furniture man of Indianapolis, is in the city making preparations for the July exhibition.

Charles Penstock and Ethlyn Crosby were married at the East Street Methodist church at 7 o'clock last evening.

George E. Dowling of Montague, senior grand warden of the grand lodge of Masons, was in the city yesterday.

The Michigan Fire Ladder & Truck company will erect a new factory 60x100 feet in size and two stories high.

John E. Ross, formerly a stenographer in the employ of C. H. Bender, will soon begin the practice of law.

Joseph A. Deal, proprietor of the Dealstate mill on Gun river, was in the city yesterday on business.

A party of twenty persons passed through the city for the northern resort yesterday morning.

Detective C. F. Kennedy is the father of a bouncing baby girl who tips the scale at ten pounds.

Olson Carr has returned from California where he has been located for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ives and daughter left for Ottawa Beach yesterday to spend the summer.

Yesterday's bank clearings amounted to \$218,321, an increase of \$71,276.10 over one year ago.

H. J. Stein and family of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting Alderman Edward H. Stein.

W. E. White has been called to Baltimore by the serious illness of his wife. There will be a meeting of the board of education Saturday evening.

Mrs. Edwin F. Uhl will accompany her husband to Chicago today.

There were twelve real estate transfers yesterday.

## CHURCH AND SOCIETY.

The First Reformed church society is preparing for a picnic to be held soon. A committee was appointed last evening to decide upon the time and place and report to the congregation Sunday morning.

Several members of the State Woman's Christian Temperance union will visit Muskegon Saturday. They are contemplating the erection of an assembly building at Hackley park.

The Rev. G. S. Hickey will lecture this evening in Ames M. E. church on "Egypt and the Holy Land." The lecture will be illustrated by stereoscopic views.

The Holland Aid society gave its annual excursion to Kalamazoo yesterday and about 250 people took the opportunity to visit Celeryville. There will be an ice cream festival tomorrow evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Scott for the benefit of the North End mission.

The Kent Scientific institute will meet at the high school laboratory tonight. George D. Jones will read a paper entitled "Leaf Venation."

The Epworth league of the Division Street M. E. church will hold a picnic at North park this afternoon and evening.

The South W. C. T. U. will meet in Ames M. E. church today at 2:30 o'clock.

Trinity church will soon be remodeled and an extensive addition built.

## Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since last published, with the names, residences when outside the city and age of the parties.

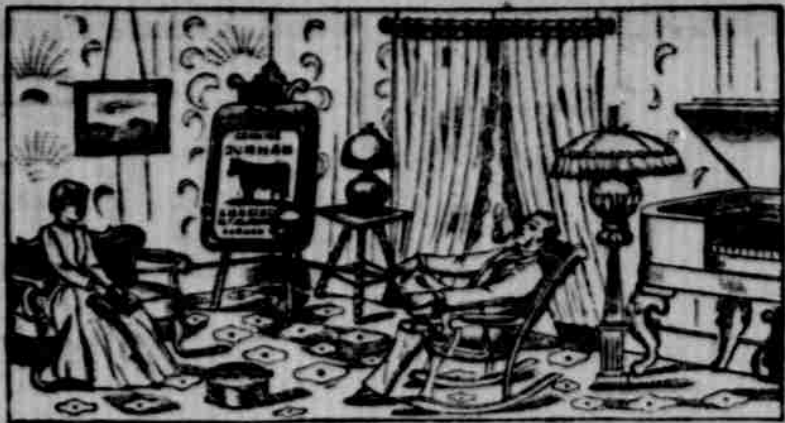
Maria J. Steinberg, Mary Koch, 25-24  
DIED.

WANNING—Daughter of S. P. M., Mildred Elsie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wanning.  
Funeral from the family residence, No. 33 West Broadway, tomorrow at 2 p. m.

E. S. Chermans, general director, No. 2 Fountain street.  
Contagious Diseases.

Baby VanLieve, 3 months, No. 49 Centennial, cholera infantum.  
Burial Permits.

Arthur Kelly, 1 month, No. 534 North Louis street, pneumonia, Valley.



**Ladies** Do you want to keep your husband home at night, and keep him agreeable and pleasant? You must smoke, and yet, you don't like the smell of his tobacco. You can drive him away to his club—out of just such things comes misery, unhappiness and divorce. The trouble is that he uses poor tobacco. Coax him to get BLACKWELL'S BULL DURHAM SMOKING TOBACCO; its delicate aroma will not be offensive to you, and it will not fill all the curtains, hangings and clothing with that stale disagreeable odor that now troubles you. Keep your husband home, and avoid all risks by having him smoke BULL DURHAM TOBACCO. Sold everywhere.

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City: Miss A. Dietz, 21, Spring avenue, peritonitis, Oak Hill.

## HER FIRST GAME.

She Was Very Bright That He Wanted to Take Her.

She expressed a desire to go over and see a game of baseball, and he was only too glad to take her. There were several reasons for his joy—because she was pretty, because he liked her, because he was a baseball crank and because he knew she was so bright and smart she would catch right on at once and be a great comfort to him as a companion at future games and in talking them over in the gloaming. So he took her, and when they had been comfortably seated he began to explain the "lay out" to her.

"I'll do this," he said, "before the game is called."

"Called what?" she inquired.

He laughed good naturedly and explained that "to call" meant "to begin," and she laughed and said "of course," and how silly she was, just as women always do under those circumstances. By this time the players were taking their places.

"You see," he said, "there are nine players on each side."

"How many sides?" she asked, determined not to make any more mistakes.

"Two."

She calculated a moment on her fingers.

"That's eighteen in all, isn't it?"

"Yes, and nine are at the bat and nine in the field. That square there is the diamond, and around it are the first base, second base and third base."

"Don't they have any tenors or sopranos?" she asked innocently.

He looked at her earnestly and laughed, but not sweetly.

"That man behind the man with the bat in his hand is the catcher," he said coldly.

"What does he catch—bats? But of course he doesn't," she interrupted herself hastily. "How silly I am! He catches flies, doesn't he? He couldn't catch bats in the daytime, could he?"

"And there's the pitcher's box," he went on, not noticing her explanation.

"That box over there with the men sitting on it?" she inquired. "What does he keep in it—his curves? I heard brother talking the other day about what an elegant curve some pitcher or other he knew had."

"No, Mary," he said sadly, "the box is the place where the pitcher stands. Beyond him is the shortstop, and out in the open there you see the fielders. Behind the catcher is the backstop."

"What's the difference between the backstop and the shortstop?" she inquired earnestly.

"You'll see that as the game progresses," he said. "Now watch the players a minute."

The umpire shouted, "Three balls."

"Why, Harry," she protested, "there was only one ball. I saw the catcher get it in his hands."

"The umpire has to do that," explained the young man.

"What do they call him the empire for?" she asked. "Because it is a monarchial form of government?"

"I guess so," said Harry, with a real smile at her ingenuity.

"This is real exciting, isn't it?" she exclaimed, clapping her hands when every body did at a good play. "I didn't think I knew enough about the game to enjoy it at all, but this is real fun."

The player had knocked a safety fly to right, and the man next at the bat followed with a foul, which the umpire mentioned in the usual manner.

"What does he call it foul for?" she asked. "I know," she put in quickly. "It's because it didn't go any distance, so the batter could run. Isn't it, Harry?"

Harry said it was, and shortly after the man on second sneaked to third.

"He stole that base beautifully," exclaimed Harry enthusiastically.

"Can they keep them when they steal them?" she asked.

"Certainly."

"And can they take them home with them and count them at the end of the season in making up their record?" she asked again.

Harry looked at her, this time scornfully, and until the game closed he made no more explanations. Then he made a few, and those that lay she has not talked baseball at all, and Harry prefers it so.

—Detroit Free Press.

## A Lucky Man.

Frank Schranke—it says in this paper that old Krempelhuber is worth at least two millions. Ah! when I think that I once rejected his offer of marriage.

—Herr Schranke—(absent minded)—Yes, it is remarkable how lucky some people are!—Leesehalla.

## To Cleanse the System.

Effectually, yet gently, when constive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds or fevers, use Syrup of Figs.

## YOUR CHOICE AT COST.

Sporting Goods From Wyke's & Burns stationary and sporting goods stock was adjusted by the insurance appraisers yesterday and paid in full.

The firm now propose a clearing sale of those goods, at such prices as will insure immediate disposition of them. While many were more or less damaged by the disastrous Saturday afternoon fire much of the stock was not so damaged as to impair its usefulness, but simply to render it unsaleable.

In the stock are many lines of fine sporting goods which are but slightly damaged. These, with stationary, periodicals and miscellaneous articles for school and office use will be cleared regardless of price.

Twenty-five cent base balls will go at 5c; 20c tablets will go at 5c; 20c school tablets at 3c; 100 page school tablets at 5c; fine boxes of paper at 5c; students' tablets at 4c; sporting goods at your own price. In periodicals the Century will be sold at 10 cents, regular price 35c; Harper's Weekly 10c, Frank Leslie from 5 to 10c, Scribner's and all other leading magazines and fashion periodicals at similar prices. The sale commences at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

Go to Dettenthaler's for Huelkin's soup.

The Improvements Are Completed Or nearly so at Ottawa Beach, and Messrs. Rice & Nash are prepared to take care of all who go to the Beach next Sunday, June 19. The hotel is now open and everything in shape for summer business.

The first Sunday train will leave Union station at 10 a. m. and leave the Beach for home at 6:30 p. m. Many improvements have been made there this year, the pavilions having been moved up to a point directly in front of the Hotel Ottawa, and a first class lunch counter being one of the improvements which will be appreciated by those spending the day at this delightful resort.

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